

March 18, 2022

Senator John Fonfara Representative Sean Scanlon State of Connecticut General Assembly Co-Chairs, Finance Revenue and Bonding Committee Legislative Office Building Hartford CT 06106-1591

RE: Senate Bill 464-An Act Concerning the Failure to File for Certain Grand List Exemptions

Dear Senator Fonfara and Representative Scanlon:

CohnReznick LLP represents Belimo Aircontrols (Belimo) with its state and local tax matters. We respectfully request that Belimo be included in Senate Bill 464-An Act Concerning the Failure to File for Certain Grand List Exemptions.

Due to an administrative oversight, Belimo did not file its Manufacturing Machinery and Equipment Exemption Claim on time (Form M-65) for Grand List year 2020. We are seeking relief for the 2020 Grand List year under CGS 12-81 (76) for the City of Danbury. This is an isolated occurrence, and Belimo is a compliant taxpayer who is expanding its manufacturing footprint in Danbury. Belimo is paying the tax and has provided the Danbury Assessor with all available data but would like to seek relief for this one-time occurrence and pay the appropriate fee relating to the late filing.

Thank you for your consideration in this matter and your continued support of Belimo Air Controls and Manufacturing in Connecticut. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at 203-805-1120 or Andrew.DiSalvo@cohnreznick.com.

Respectfully Submitted:

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